

## ALTGELD

on the Causes of Tuesday's Landslide.

### ADMINISTRATION BLAMED

THE FALLING OFF OF DEMOCRATIC VOTES EVERYWHERE

links Silver Was an Important Factor in the States Which Have Gone Republican Where Democrats Have Gained a Gold Platform—His Talk is a Bundle of Facts and Demagoguery

BINGFIELD, N. H., Nov. 7.—It is the f of Governor Altgeld that the Republican landslide was brought about chiefly through the treachery of national administration and the wing of the Democracy in Wall t.

democratic conventions in many s," he says, "were packed by posters and inequities of the administration forced the adoption of Cleveland's policy on the money question."

governor was seen at his office and what he had to say about the re of yesterday's elections.

h, nothing," he answered with a smile, "it is not our place to talk, have just been laid out and you t that in public society it is regarded ad form for a corpse to indulge in a back talk while the wake is in 'ess," and then the governor ed at his own grim humor.

ow will this effect the silver move- 2," I was then asked.

h, I don't know. While the silver orn has been roughly treated in Eighteenth district in this state, it yet faced a great deal better than gold platform in the other states.

years ago we lost the Eighteenth ict by nearly 3,000; this year Mr. ey has carried it by about 3,100, considering the fact that the causes i worked against the Democratic in other states also worked against e.

ed the further fact that Mr. ar, as chairman of the Republican dtee, had lately been in New York ing to carry the Eighteenth dis- why the result is favorable when ared with that in the other states.

or example, Iowa went Democratic al times, but two years ago in the landslide, it went Republican by 33,000 majority. This year, when omocrats held their state conven- it was packed by postmasters and gents of the federal administra- and they adopted a platform in- ing Cleveland's policy on the money ion, and as a result the great Re- can majority of two years ago in- of Drake, the Republican, who a weak candidate for governor, ed a majority of upward of 60,000.

1 Kentucky, the great strength of racy, the federal administration ostinction of patronage secured an- ing of Cleveland and Carlisle in- money question, and as a result the crats are in the woods looking he remains of their once mighty

Ohio Senator Brice and Campbell ted the silver plank in the conven- and adopted a gold platform, and result the phenomenal majority h McKinley got in the landslide of ears ago has been increased, Bush- eing elected by upwards of 80,000 rity.

a Pennsylvania the Democrats ed a gold platform and the result ephian majority of 130,000 in New Jersey, which is really a Demo- state, the Democrats adopted a platform and as a result the Re- ans have carried everything in Maryland, which has been gely Democratic for a quarter of a y, the Democrats adopted a gold ora and as a result there are not of them left to bury their dead.

ew York the Democrats adopted a platform and as a result the Re- can majorities outside of the city, been nearly doubled. In Massa- its they adopted the same platform as a consequence the Republican is neck deep all over the state."

Silver Wedding.  
MANAPOLIS, Nov. 7.—Comedian an H. Crane, who is playing at rand Opera House, celebrated his wedding yesterday. Immediately the matinee Mr. and Mrs. Crane presented with a magnificent sil- ving cup by members of the com- y, and were serenaded by all the tr orchestras.

She Was the Last.  
FERONVILLE, Ind., Nov. 7.—If a has 21 children he ought not to ob- to their clothing, but it seems the r of Miss Jane N. Robertson of leham, Ky., did. She came here wedded to Garrett P. Sewell. All brothers and sisters before her d to this city, and she was the last o leave the old folks.

Crushed His Skull.  
OK, O., Nov. 7.—Simon H. Miner, ruck William Hamblang, 45, over ead with a club, crushing his skull ansing his death. Miner escaped.

Rain in Oklahoma.  
RY, O. T., Nov. 7.—Since Tues- night from four to five inches of has fallen here and throughout oma territory.

Treasury Statement.  
ASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—The statu- of the condition of the treasury e Available cash balance, \$178, 9; gold reserve, \$92,929,425.

Grand Vizier Resigns.  
STANTINOPLE, Nov. 7.—Kiamil e, the grand vizier, has resigned.

### A SKETCH OF HIS LIFE:

A Sketch of His Career Would Be Read With Awe.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 7.—Theodore Durrant has written a sketch of his life and ambitions and has gone into the matter of how it feels to be on trial for murder. He has some mugs at the curious people who stand at him; takes the churches to task for what he thinks is their lack of Christianity, and says that his self-possession, nerve and fortitude during the trial was due to the love and comfort given by his mother. He stoutly proclaims his innocence, and satirizes some of his critics.

"But," he says, "after all, this world is only a temporary trial to prepare for another, the better world. This existence consists of only a few troubles and painful years at best, but there we will enjoy eternal happiness in the company of the angels of God. We will have the assurance of Holy Scriptures that riches and prosperity here are impediments to happiness hereafter. The beggar Lazarus is shown to us in the midst of everlasting bliss, while the rich man, Dives, who had supported him for years by the crumbs from his table and was clothed in purple and fine linen, is represented to us as burning in everlasting hell."

"Another thing we might remember is that it is less difficult for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for the rich man to enter the kingdom of heaven; so we may, therefore, I think, rejoice in our difficulties and afflictions, for we are told that those whom the Lord loveth, he chasteneth, and therefore we can see that the more wretched we are here upon this earth in love and trust in our Lord, the more assured we are of the delights of an everlasting heaven."

"I gave my testimony on the stand willingly. I gave the whole truth, whether it was for or against me. On the stand I substantiated many points the prosecution endeavored to prove, which were used against me in the argument, which was twisted and turned into all shapes and which happened to convict me on circumstantial evidence."

### SHIPBUILDERS' LOCKOUT

Will Unfavorably Affect Numerous Other Branches of Business.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—Practically all the Clyde engineers are idle, as the bulk of them refused to go to work as a protest against the action of the shipbuilders, who posted notices looking out 25 per cent of the employees of their yards. Only members of the unions are locked out. The lockout is in sympathy with the Belfast shipbuilders, whose employees recently struck work. The Clyde shipbuilders thereupon announced that they would lock out 25 per cent of their employees each successive week as the strike progressed.

Both unionists and nonunionists, however, are equally affected, and the extent to which the other industries are affected is incalculable, for when the ship building on the Clyde is at a standstill a general stagnation of business in the west of Scotland is the result. The coal and iron industries are most affected, and numbers of miners and iron workers will probably be thrown out of work.

### Granted a Respite.

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., Nov. 7.—Governor Brown has extended the time of execution of Columbus Phelps, who was to have been hanged next Friday, for the murder of his brother, Henry Phelps. He will doubtless be tried for insanity in a few days.

### Will Get Back at Them.

ANDERSON, Ind., Nov. 7.—W. R. Covert, the anti-Spiritualist lecturer, who as defendant in a \$10,000 damage suit last week came out victorious, retained attorneys to bring damage suits against the National Association of Spiritualists.

### Hearing Postponed.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—The hearing of the application for an injunction to restrain the Chicago Gas trust from reorganization under the consolidation plan has been postponed until Nov. 20 by agreement of counsel.

### Settled Out of Court.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 7.—A local paper says the Fair will case has been settled out of court and what promised to be a bitter contest over an estate valued at \$10,000,000 has been abandoned.

### Not Too Wealthy to Die.

WABASH, Ind., Nov. 7.—Samuel Speicher, 60, one of the wealthiest farmers of Wabash county, dropped dead at his home near Urbana.

### Killed by a Train.

MARTINSVILLE, Ind., Nov. 7.—Henry Hart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hart, was killed by a passenger train.

### Widener.

At Kansas City—Miss Jessie, Little Chap, Winchester, Montell.  
At St. Louis—Stirling, La Salle, Young Arion, Simmons, Billy McKenzie.  
At Launce—Strathford, Gladie B. Raaper, Boque, Zetaling, Bruce Nichols.

MARYSVILLE, O., Nov. 7.—Conrad Host has been living with his son, George, in Columbus and came home to cast his vote for Campbell. He became intoxicated and attempted suicide by cutting his throat with a razor. He left a note saying that he did not care to live, as he had been mistreated by his family.

### Kidnaped Her Own Child.

KENTON, O., Nov. 7.—Mrs. Jessie Prader, who lives somewhere in Michigan, came to this city and abducted her little daughter, who is now the legally adopted child of her grandfather, Emsley Prader. Mrs. Prader and another woman caught the child when she was going to school and made her go with them.

## THIRTY

Victims in the Ruins of the Detroit Journal Building.

### TWENTY PERSONS HURT,

SOME OF WHOM MAY DIE FROM THE INJURIES.

Boilers Explode in the Basement, Sending the Block from Top to Bottom—Fire Adds Its Horrors to the Calamity—Work of Rescue Being Pushed—Many Yet Beneath the Ruins.

DETROIT, Nov. 7.—A gaping rent nearly 40 feet wide from top to bottom of a 5-story business block, a dozen dead bodies recovered, a score of persons injured and more than that number missing, with a certainty that many more dead bodies are beneath the ruins, such are the results of an explosion which started the city yesterday and totally wrecked about a third of the building at the corner of Larned and Shelby streets, occupied by the Detroit Evening Journal and several other tenements. At 10 o'clock in the morning the whole neighborhood was terrified by a fearful shock, caused by the exploding of the boilers in the basement of the Journal building. Plate glass windows across the street and some of those farther away were shattered by the concussion, and several persons were cut by falling glass.

At the same instant the fire floors and roof of that section of the building collapsed and fell to the basement, carrying with it at least 50 persons, who had not the slightest warning of their danger. The cloud of dust which blinded the eyes of the amazed spectators of the horror was quickly succeeded by smoke from the fires which started in the ruins. The work of rescue was rushed to the utmost all day and night but progress has necessarily been very slow.

The debris and brick are dumped into an almost solid mass, upon which quantities of water have been poured and into which comparatively little headway has been made.

### Dead.

Lizzie Tapley, 30, employed by Davis & Company.  
Henry Walsh, employed by Kohlbrand Engraving company.  
John J. Reuter, apprentice in the employ of Dunlap & Company.  
George H. Soule, engraver.  
George Shaw, mailer Detroit Journal.  
James Ross.  
William W. Dunlap.  
Henry Lariviere, mailing room of Journal.

Unknown boy, features unrecognizable, supposed to be John Bowman, employed by Kohlbrand & Company.  
E. L. Reiger, machinist; family lives at Escoda, Mich.

Unidentified, slightly built man; body at morgue.

Hattie Hiller, employe Hiller's bookbindery; body recovered at 12:30 this morning.

Minnie Liese, also bindery employe; body gotten out shortly afterward.

Walter P. Saxby, machinist Dunlap & Company.

Michael Ward, stereotyper Journal.

Twenty of the persons rescued alive were more or less seriously injured. Some 30 tenants and employes in the building are still missing, and there can be no doubt that most of these are lying dead under the debris.

The work of removing debris and searching for the bodies went on all night by the aid of electric lights, but the task is a big one.

Carelessness is undoubtedly the cause of the disaster, but where the responsibility rests is yet problematical. Thomas Thompson, the engineer, was painfully injured. He said he could assign no reason for the explosion. City Boiler Inspector McGregor says he inspected the boilers last August and found them up to the requirements.

HEAD-ON COLLISION.

A Disastrous Railroad Wreck Narrowly Averted.

WAPAKONETA, O., Nov. 7.—A disastrous head-on collision occurred on the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton at the edge of town at an early hour yesterday morning. The northbound passenger train, due here at 2:15 a. m., collided with a southbound freight which was standing on the siding. The train crews escaped injury by jumping, with the exception of Engineer Gallagher, who sustained a severe sprain of the ankle. The coaches kept the track and the passengers escaped with a shaking up. The accident was due to a misplaced switch and blocked the track for five hours.

Put Up a Good Fight.

WINCHESTER, Ind., Nov. 7.—Elmer Franklin, a prominent farmer living four miles west of this city, was held by two unknown negroes. Franklin fought with a buggy whip and overpowered his assailants, but they escaped after shooting him once, but not fatally. No money was obtained.

Seriously Injured.

STUBENVILLE, O., Nov. 7.—Anderson Young, colored, was struck by a Cleveland and Pittsburgh train south of this city and seriously injured. His dog was killed. He was walking toward the train when struck.

Remarkable Growth.

RUSKVILLE, Ind., Nov. 7.—Nathan Hinton of Posey township has raised seven ears of corn from one grain. On the seven ears were 3,825 grains, which is a remarkable production.

### ELECTION ECHOES.

Marylanders Want to Know How It All Happened.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 7.—The people of Maryland, having recovered from the surprise caused by yesterday's political avalanche, are beginning to inquire how it all happened and what the result of it is going to be. Congressman George I. Wellington, chairman of the Republican state committee, sums it up in a few words as follows: "The people of Maryland are tired of Gorman and Gormanism, of Ransom and Ransomism, and yesterday they backed their sentiments with their ballots."

Republican Successor to Blackburn.  
LOUISVILLE, Nov. 7.—Republican claims and Democratic concessions show that not only has Kentucky elected the full Republican state ticket but that the complexion of the legislature assures a Republican successor to United States Senator Blackburn.

Contest Probable.

BROOKLYN, Nov. 7.—It looks now as if the mayoralty contest would be transferred to the courts. Mr. Grout refused to concede the election of Mr. Wurster, and the regular campaign Democratic committee has retained counsel to look after Mr. Grout's interests.

Griggs' Plurality.

JERSEY CITY, Nov. 7.—The wildest claims of the Republicans on election night, and the best returns that could be obtained, fell short of the actual result. Griggs, for governor, received 28,900 plurality over McGill.

Result in Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 7.—Complete returns from all but six counties in the state show a plurality for Haywood (with the vote in the six counties estimated), of 169,531, a Republican gain of 34,705 as compared with 1893.

Clean Sweep in Kansas.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 7.—Kansas returns show that the Republicans made practically a clean sweep of the state, carrying a majority of the counties entire and electing many of the officers of the others.

Mentioned For Vice President.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 7.—"If W. O. Bradley is elected governor of Kentucky," said John C. New, "it will probably make him the Republican nominee for vice president next year."

New York Unofficial Returns.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The total unofficial vote for secretary of state is: King (Dem.), 355,590; Palmer (Rep.), 572,525. This makes Palmer's plurality 216,935.

Her First Vote.

SALT LAKE CITY, Nov. 7.—The Republicans have elected the state ticket and carried the legislature by a safe majority.

The Iowa Vote.

DES MOINES, Nov. 7.—Iowa is Republican this year by from 60,000 to 70,000 plurality. Returns from 73 out of 99 counties show that General Drake, Republican candidate for governor, has gained 23,000 over the Jackson vote for governor in 1894. The same ratio seems that he will carry the state by a little more than 60,000 plurality.

Damage.

BOSTON, Nov. 7.—The \$25,000 damage suit of Mrs. Helen M. Gangar, the well known temperance worker, against Hon. Elijah Morse, member of congress, for alleged libel, was reopened for a second trial in the United States circuit court before Judge Putnam yesterday.

Stabbed in an Election Wrangle.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—John B. McGoldrick, clerk of the supreme court and secretary of Tammany Hall, is lying in a dangerous condition at his home, the result of a stab wound received in an election wrangle Tuesday.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations For Nov. 6.

NEW YORK.  
Reef—Family, \$9.00; extra mess, \$7.50; 35 lb. packed, \$9.00; 50 lb. mess, \$8.00; 65 lb. packed, \$8.00; 100 lb. packed, \$8.00; 150 lb. packed, \$8.00; 200 lb. packed, \$8.00; 250 lb. packed, \$8.00; 300 lb. packed, \$8.00; 350 lb. packed, \$8.00; 400 lb. packed, \$8.00; 450 lb. packed, \$8.00; 500 lb. packed, \$8.00; 550 lb. packed, \$8.00; 600 lb. packed, \$8.00; 650 lb. packed, \$8.00; 700 lb. packed, \$8.00; 750 lb. packed, \$8.00; 800 lb. packed, \$8.00; 850 lb. packed, \$8.00; 900 lb. packed, \$8.00; 950 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1000 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1050 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1100 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1150 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1200 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1250 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1300 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1350 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1400 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1450 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1500 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1550 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1600 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1650 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1700 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1750 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1800 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1850 lb. packed, \$8.00; 1900 lb. packed, \$8.00; 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### A Dwarf Takes Second Growth.

Sir Geoffrey Hudson, the celebrated English dwarf of the seventeenth century, was doubtless the most widely known human curiosity of his time. He was born of parents of the normal size at Rutlandshire in 1619. At birth he weighed less than a pound and a half, and was only 8 inches in length. He did not begin to walk until after the end of his third year, his height at that time being less than a foot. At the end of his seventh year he was taken into the family of the Duke of Buckingham, having between the ages of 9 and 7 years added but four inches to his stature. With Buckingham he lived until 30 years old, at which time he was only 18 inches in height when equipped in fashionable high heeled shoes.

At the age of 30, however, a remarkable change came over the dwarf, and for the next five years his growth was so remarkable for its rapidity as it had previously been for its backwardness. At the age of 30 his height had been about 1 1/2 feet. At 35 it was 3 feet and 9 inches! How or why this remarkable change was brought about was a question too deep for the Society of Royal Surgeons, who, time and again, discussed the phenomenon without arriving at any satisfactory conclusions. Hudson lived to be 68, which is three times the average length of life among dwarfs.—St. Louis Republic.

### You Can Believe

The testimonials published in behalf of Hood's Sarsaparilla. They are written by honest people, who have actually found in their own experience that Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood, creates an appetite, strengthens the system and absolutely and permanently cures all diseases caused by impure or deficient blood.

Hood's Pills for the liver and bowels, act promptly, easily and effectively.

### Virtues of Hot Water.

Hot water is one of our best remedial agents.

A hot bath on going to bed, even in the hot nights of summer, is a better reliever of insomnia, than many drugs.

Inflamed parts will subside under the continual poulticing of real hot water.

Very hot water, as we all know, is a prompt checker of bleeding, and besides, if it is clean, and it should be, it aids in sterilizing our wound.

A rintons stomach will nearly always receive gratefully a glass of more of hot water.

### The Baby's Colic Cure.

UPPER SANDUSKY, O., Nov. 7.—"Our little boy when three weeks old was troubled with severe attacks of wind-colic. Our druggist recommended Dr. Hand's Colic Cure. We used it until baby was eight months old. The effect from the start was magical, giving instant relief and no bad effects. I recommend it with pleasure to every mother in the land. Mrs. C. W. Cramer." Dr. Hand's Remedies for children sold by all druggists for 25c.

### Those Innocent Women.

"My wife found a poker chip in my pocket the other morning," said the man about town.

"Was she angry?"

"Very. She asked how much it cost. I told her 50 cents and she said that a man always got cheated; that the thing was nothing but celluloid."—Washington Star.

### Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no money required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Malville Bros.

### No Hamburg.

Foley's Honey and Tar does not claim to perform miracles. It does not claim to cure all cases of consumption or asthma. But it does claim to give comfort and relief in advance of stages of these diseases and to usually cure early stages. It is certainly worth trying by those afflicted or threatened with these dread diseases. 50c Vorkamp, a e cor Main and North streets.

## MEXICAN NEWS.

Items of Interest From Various Parts of the Republic.

CITY OF MEXICO, Nov. 7.—The collector of the frontier custom house of Zapaluta, state of Chiapas, is reported to have arrested several Guatemaltecos who had arrived there to buy coffee. The only excuse was that the men had \$5,000, which is not an enormous amount when their business is considered. The collector alleges he thought they were smugglers, but had to release them for lack of proof. It is said he has several times before interfered with this trade.

Patricia, a Liberal party paper, ascribes the horrible crime of the auxiliary judge at Texapaca to Catholic fanaticism, and says that they are nothing but a sect of madmen, and the worst of it is the disease is communicable, and the results are such outbreaks of crazy zeal as that exhibited at Texapaca, where innocent men, women and children were burned to death.

Another shipment of thieves will be made in a few days to the coffee and tobacco districts. It is now said in Puebla by way of explaining the assassination of Editor Olmes that it was all a mistake, the murderers taking him for another man. This is regarded as the silliest subterfuge yet indulged in by the authorities, who have shown, it is averred, no genuine desire to ferret out the assassins.

Surveying on the expropriation grounds began yesterday. The management expects to lay the corner stone of one of the principal buildings in three weeks.

### NEWS WAS SUPPRESSED.

British Minister's Boat Attacked by Chinese at Peking.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—A special dispatch from Shanghai, published yesterday, says that while the former British minister to Peking, Sir D. R. O'Connor, (who has been appointed British minister to Russia) and his family were leaving Peking their boat collided at Tang Chow with a craft filled with Chinese soldiers. A scuffle is said to have ensued during which soldiers were freely used. Other soldiers on the river bank, it is added, joined in the disturbance by heaving rocks with the apparent object of sinking the British officials boat. The matter, it appears, was hushed up in order to avoid complications.

### FINAL DECISION

Holding Owners of the Crathie Responsible For Loss of the Elbe.

ROTTERDAM, Nov. 7.—The court here, which has been taking testimony in the case of the North German Lloyd steamship Elbe, sunk in collision with the British ship Crathie of Aberdeen on Jan. 31 of the present year, involving a loss of 335 lives, has rendered a final decision holding the Crathie wholly responsible for the disaster and condemning her owners to pay the North German Lloyd company's claim for the total loss of the Elbe, with interest at 6 per cent, and ordering the sequestration of the Crathie pending payment.

### SAILED INTO PORT

After Having Long Been Given Up as Lost.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The bark Nellie Troop, which was long ago given up for lost, sailed into this port after a voyage of 209 days from Manila. The usual time is about half that number of days. Captain Young, an ex-officer of the navy and a shaggy old sea dog, is the bark's master.

### Killed His Son.

BEEBE, Ky., Nov. 7.—Word is received here that John Worlds, living near Kingston, killed his 14-year-old son. Worlds was quarreling with his wife and the son took his mother's part. This so angered the father that he seized an ax handle and struck the boy. He died several hours later.

### Tom L. Johnson's Father Dead.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 7.—Colonel Albert W. Johnson, 65, father of ex-Congressman Tom L. Johnson, died at his son's home on Euclid avenue Wednesday, after a prolonged illness from a complication of diseases.

### It Was Suicide.

WOOSTER, O., Nov. 7.—It has leaked out that Frank Lake, 23, of Big Prairie, who was found dead in bed a few days ago, committed suicide. It is said the young man was a remarkable freak of nature.

### Cut His Throat.

MARYSVILLE, O., Nov. 7.—Conrad Horst became intoxicated and was put in the city prison. Shortly after being locked up he cut his throat with a razor. He was discovered by the turnkey and will possibly recover.

### Non-Taxable Bonds.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 7.—Judge Ricks of the United States court has rendered a decision holding that bonds of the District of Columbia are not subject to taxation, being in that respect in the nature of government bonds.

### They Were Married.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The Duke of Marlborough and Miss Consuelo Vanderbilt were married at St. Thomas church, Fifth avenue and Fifty-third street, today at 12:30 o'clock.

### Died From Eating Chestnut.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Nov. 7.—Grace Johnson, 18, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Johnson, died after an illness of 16 hours' duration from the effects of eating chestnuts.

### Dropped Dead From His Chair.

GALLON, O., Nov. 7.—Robert Laird, commander of Dick Morris post No. 130, while occupying the chair and presiding at the meeting dropped dead from his chair in the post room.

### Funeral of Eugene Field.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—The mortal remains of Eugene Field were laid to rest in Graceland cemetery after the conclusion of impressive services at the Fourth Presbyterian church.

### Burned a Plantation.

HAVANA, Nov. 7.—The insurgents have burned the plantation of Constancia, near Cienfuegos, province of Santa Clara, doing damage to the amount of \$50,000.

## Nicotine Neutralized



# MAIL POUCH TOBACCO

No Nerves Quaking  
No Heart Palpitating  
No Dyspeptic Aching  
**ANTI-NEUROUS  
ANTI-DYSPEPTIC**

### A Valuable Sunday School Relief.

Mrs. John J. Atkins of Philadelphia is the proud owner of the pen which Robert Raikes, the English founder of the Sunday school system, used in enrolling his first class of Sabbath school workers. The names inscribed by Raikes with this famous pen were 39 in number—men, women and children of Gloucester, England. The pen is made of a goosequill and is said to have been a Christmas present to the founder of the Sunday school. It is a cumbersome writing implement, about nine inches long, wrapped in yellow silk and covered with beads and tassels from one end to the other. Mr. Raikes gave it to Mrs. Atkins' great-grandmother, and it came to its present owner by inheritance.—St. Louis Republic.

### A BIT OF PENCIL

Prized Because It Is a Veteran and Went Through the War.

"I have a very fine and choice cabinet of relics and specimens of the late war," said J. Fillmore of South Dakota. "In the collection is an old fashioned common lead pencil, only three-quarters of an inch long, which was given to me by Major J. B. Fairbanks, who carried it through the entire war, and in presenting it to me the major gave me this biographical sketch of the pencil: 'This pencil is a veteran of the late war. When it enlisted, it was round and of full length.

"When the war was over, it was, like many other veterans, badly used up. During its service it campaigned in dust and mud, over the hills and plains of Maryland and Virginia, through the swamps of Mississippi, across the mountains of Kentucky and Tennessee, again through Virginia, from the Wilderness to Appomattox. It has watched upon the picket line in daylight and in darkness, in heat and in cold, in rain and in snow. It has taken part in many skirmishes, and in more than half a score of regular battles, and in addition it went through the siege of Petersburg, and was engaged in several of the assaults upon that stronghold. With it, for eight months, while the owner was first sergeant of his company, he kept the daily record and report of the company.

"It wrote the name and the number of those on detached service, of the absent with leave, of those daily detailed for ordinary camp duties or occasionally for some special duty, of the number present for duty and of the sick in quarters. At the roll call after battle it has noted the names of those who did not answer. It has recorded the names of those men as killed in battle, wounded in battle, died of wounds, died of disease, discharged on account of wounds received and disease contracted in line of duty. In its own way it has written its humble page in the history of the most eventful epoch of all times. Preserve it and cherish it."—Kansas City Times.

### "Vox Populi" Not "Vox Dei"

We all know a favorite and much quoted proverb is "Vox populi, vox Dei." Is it not, perhaps, of all proverbs, the most fallacious? Was it not Carlyle who asked, "How many fools does it take to make a public?" Does not another popular proverb say, "Too many cooks spoil the broth?" It is a vulgar error to believe that many persons together can decide better upon a subject than one person alone. An optimist might argue that this belief has taken birth from the modesty of mankind, a pessimist that it has arisen from the desire to escape responsibility.

The popular notion is that a number of intellects can be summed up into one, but the fact is they limit each other and act as a clog. "Men," said Galilei, "are not like a number of horses attached to a carriage, all pulling together, but rather like a number of loose horses running a race, of which one gains the prize."—Blackwood's Magazine.

Rabah, now the head of the sultanate of Bornu, Africa, was at one time a slave. He is a full blooded negro of gigantic stature and is said to be possessed of immense treasures of gold, silver and ivory.

There is a man living at South Beach, N. Y., whose principal means of livelihood is that of hunting for the bodies of drowned people.

Nothing is so good for an ignorant man as silence, and if he was sensible of this he would not be ignorant.—Sauti.

## In Search of a Portrait.

When Healy, the American artist, was in France, he painted a portrait of Louis Philippe. It became the property of the American minister, General Cass, and soon after its completion the king met the artist and said to him:

"Mr. Healy, I understand that I was seen last evening at your minister's in very good company, between Washington and Guizot, both painted by you. Where and how did you copy your Washington?"

Mr. Healy replied that he had copied it from an engraving of Stuart's Washington, as the original had not been within his reach. The king then said that while he and his brothers were in the United States they had seen Stuart at work on this great portrait, and that during the sittings Washington had conversed with the young prince.

"And now," added the king, "I want you to make me a copy of that very portrait."

The great difficulty was to know where to find it, but in a week's time the king thought he had his information.

"Mr. Healy," he exclaimed, "we are dished! The portrait is in Russia, and under present circumstances I can ask nothing of the Russian government. What are we to do? I must have my Washington! I have set my heart on it!"

Mr. Healy proposed copying the full length portrait hanging in Faneuil hall, in Boston.

"No, no!" said the king. "That is in his military uniform, and I want him as president of the United States, in his black velvet suit. Will you start for America and do your best? I leave the whole affair in your hands. You might copy the portrait which Mrs. Madison cut from its frame in 1814, when the English burned the city of Washington."

So the artist set sail for America, and, once there, the president, John Tyler, allowed him to paint in the room where this portrait, a rather feeble imitation of Stuart, had been hung. Later, when he passed through London, he learned by chance that the portrait which Louis Philippe had believed to be in Russia was really in London itself, and that he might be allowed to finish his copy from it.—Youth's Companion.

### The Poisoned Arrow.

The poisoned arrow is a subject which wants considerable clearing up. Unquestionably if the venom of the rattlesnake could be had, and an arrowhead were smeared with the venom, the effects of a wound received by such an arrow would be dangerous. It is the permanency of the toxic effect of crotonine which may be questioned. It may be read that savages having arrows so called poisonous are very careful with them, keeping them in peculiar quivers. The admixtures which savages suppose add to the deadly effects of the poison, such as spiders, would amount to nothing at all. Unquestionably the Apaches used poisoned arrows, since Dr. W. J. Hoffman writes that in 1871 arrows obtained from Apache Indians "showed the presence of blood corpuscles, with a crystalline substance, apparently identical with viperine (Bompart) or crotonine, (S. W. Mitchell), the active principle of crotonus venom."

Captain John G. Bourke, treating the subject of Apache poisoned arrows, writes: "I do not believe in the virulence, or rather in the permanence of the virulence, of the poison made from the purplish liver of deer into which an enraged rattlesnake had injected its venom. At least I can say that I have seen men and animals struck by darts alleged to have been so poisoned, but could not perceive that any extra harm had been done thereby." The question of blood poisoning, a not uncommon cause of death, might have often arisen from an arrow wound, especially if the bowman made it a point not to cleanse the arrowhead after a first wound had been inflicted by the same arrow. According to Giralomo Benzoni, as translated by Captain Bourke, Benzoni has left some details of how the natives of South America manufactured their poison. "They compelled an old woman to prepare this deadly mixture, and if it did not kill the old woman she was nearly beaten to death."—New York Times.

### Labouchere Discovered on Love.

I see that The Daily Telegraph has inaugurated a discussion in its columns as to the "Proper Age for Love," and much that is silly has been addressed to that journal. The first thing to decide would, I should imagine, be, what love is. If that sort of intonation be meant which occasionally gets the better of a sane human being, and leads him or her, as the case may be, to gush and pine and moan, there is no age proper for it. If, on the other hand, it meant a certain feeling of affection felt by one person for another of the opposite sex, my age between 20 and 40 is proper for it.

For the follies of love poets and novelists are to blame. The former exalt it as something plausible beyond belief; the latter too often make their tales turn upon two silly persons insisting on marrying against all practical sense. And this fidelity or folly is put forward as the noblest of virtues. Love may settle down into a reasonable attachment, but as a rule it is a mere temporary sensation. People meet each other, and, after a slight acquaintance, feel that they cannot live apart. In nine cases out of ten they eventually find that they get on apart excellently. Even friendship is more of a habit than anything else.—London Truth.

### An Extraordinary Inscription.

A gossip in the London Spectator says: "While wandering around the parish church of St. Helier I came across this extraordinary inscription: 'To the glory of God and in the memory of George Frederick de Carteret, his cousin, who perished by drowning, and his interred by the Cathedral church, Galway, Ireland, this window is given by Edmond Charles Malet de Carteret, Seigneur de St. Ouen, A. D. MCCCLXXVII.'"

## LINGO OF THE JAPS.

Result of Acquiring a Language Without Grammar or Dictionary.

The atrocities wreaked upon the English language by the well meaning Baboo have long been familiar to readers of Anglo-Indian literature. He shows a surprising facility in the choice of "words alive with import," to quote a phrase of Mr. Stevenson's. His only fault is that the import is much too lively. Indeed, for an utter contrast to Mr. Stevenson's own skill in selecting the one apt and significant word for the expression of his thought one could not do better than study the essayist quoted by Lady Dufferin, who graphically recorded the difference in the lot of rich and poor by the lament that "while the rich man weathers on crimson velvet, the poor man snorts on flint."

But the student who has a feeling for style will find much to repay research as he travels farther east than Calcutta. At Hongkong and the Chinese ports he will find himself in the region of "pidgin," a language which at first insults his manhood by its inevitable suggestion of baby talk, but which he soon learns to respect as a more brilliantly successful instance of international compromise than any treaty for which diplomatist was ever knighted. The motto he learns at Yokohama he may discard his painfully acquired "pidgin," for he is among people who would scorn to say "no can do" for "it is impossible," or "my belonging topside" for "I live up stairs." When they speak English, they speak it uncontaminated by local accident or syntax.

The results of this acquisition of a foreign tongue by means of the unimpeachable study of grammar and dictionary are evident on many a shop sign. "Rando Hosome" illustrates the curious national inability to hear or pronounce the sound of "l." As the Chinese are equally unable to make anything of "r," no Yokupuk will be worth anything which does not omit both the letters from its alphabet. "Ramp Shop" and "Gears," Radies' and Children's Shoes" are instances of the same eccentricity.

Occasionally one's attention is arrested by a sheer error in spelling, which looks as though the painter's copy had been written in a bad hand by a person who had confided a superficial knowledge of English orthography to the care of a treacherous memory.

It may be that the absence from Japanese of any distinction between singular and plural is to blame for such deviation from usage as "Ships and Houses Painter," "The Wines and Foods" and "Rifles and Powders." It is only natural that when a Jap does come across a language possessing the luxury of a special sin of plurality he should wish to make the most of his opportunities. The expression of multiplicity seems indeed usually to cause disturbance in the native mind. Thus we get "Shop For the Kind of Parasol, Umbrella and Stick," "Wine, Ale and Other" and "Manufacturer and Dealer of Furniture and Others." Over a store by the side of the canal at Yokohama may be read an inscription which is a pathetic proof of the complexity of our proposition. The owner having set up the announcement, "Dealer of Coal and Coke," was evidently troubled by the suspicion that his sign might not be quite idiomatic; so, in order to be quite sure of hitting the correct thing one way or the other, he wrote "for" as a second choice below the word "of."

The advertisements sent to the visitor at his hotel are prolific in surprises. A firm of photographers assures him that they "kindle the hope that you will visit our exhibition." If he is unfortunate enough to fall ill during his stay, he will find great relief by using as a substitute for the police the ingenious native "kairo," an invention which delights English doctors when they make its acquaintance. It is a small, comfortably padded box containing a special preparation of charcoal, and when fastened to the chest keeps the heat much longer than any other contrivance known in medicine. But even the "kairo" itself will hardly warm the cockles of the patient's heart as effectively as the inscription on the outside wrapper, declaring as it does that "this is so good and convenient as to get out all diseases relief by cold."—London Christian World.

### Primitive and Modern Man.

Naturally much curiosity has been directed toward Dr. Eugene Dubois' discovery of a human skull and bones in the Bonganang quarry of Java. Dr. Dubois having assigned to the remains human and simian characteristics, a more careful study of the relics of the man of the past does not show any such characteristic differences, but it is a human type, "more primitive than any hitherto discovered." So far as Mr. Arthur Keith explains it, the human geological record stretches back only to the early post-tertiary period. There must have been then millions of men, and yet only four specimens, "complete enough for recognition, have come down to us." From careful comparison the conclusion is arrived at that the man of the post-tertiary period was smaller brained than humanity is today, and that early man had jaws, teeth and muscular ridges more pronounced than we have. There is no possible reason for entertaining the idea that primitive man was taller than we are. There is even the possibility that our average height has some very little increased. As Mr. Keith writes, "man since the tertiary period has changed but very little."—New York Times.

### Diversions In The Trenches.

"I say, Pat," said Mike, throwing down his shovel, "do you think if you were to stand on this side of the street and look across to the other you could see the side-walk?"

"Mebbe I could and mebbe I couldn't," replied Pat with a smile. "And supposin ye were on the other side, do ye think ye'd do yer best ye could see the marble-stop?"—Philadelphia Call.

## A LOVELY FACE

Beauty is the Greatest

POWER OF ATTRACTION.

Women Recognize It: Men

BOW BEFORE ITS SHRINE.

The Secret of Good

Looks Disclosed. How

To Look Your Best.

Never was there a time when women did not try to make themselves beautiful. What is so lovely as a round, ruddy face, white forehead and full red lips? What so annoying as the black-heads and pimples on the face, with the dirty, greasy look which always accompanies them? Life is not worth living, the young girl thinks, because of the bad, unpleasant look of her skin which she tries in vain to improve by the use of various cosmetics, ointments and powders, not knowing that all the while the trouble is not in the skin itself, but in the system. It is sometimes absolutely dangerous to use outside applications, for if the skin is simply cleared of the disease it is likely to attack some internal organ of the body, where it may prove fatal to life itself. But in purifying the blood, the cure is natural, permanent and without injury.

Miss Alice Hopkins, who resides at 632 South Tenth St., Philadelphia, Pa., was unhappy because of her unsightly face, and writes an interesting letter on the subject.

She says: "Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy is a wonderful medicine and it cured me completely of one of the very worst forms of dyspepsia. Words cannot express what I have suffered in body and mind for about three years. Not the least of my trouble was an entire loss of healthy color in my face. The natural glow disappeared entirely, and a horrible saffron yellow took its place. You can imagine my feelings when I was asked a dozen times a day as to whether I was suffering from jaundice. At this time I was enduring all the tortures of indigestion, and could not retain enough food to give me the necessary nourishment. Consequently I lost flesh rapidly and became weaker each day. The doctors told me I was suffering from nervous dyspepsia and biliousness.



MISS ALICE HOPKINS.

"I knew I was getting worse day by day, and I soon lost all heart. Everything irritated me, and I was in a state of most intense nervousness. I took to my bed and did not leave it for several weeks. I firmly believe I never should have risen from my bed again had it not been for the relief I obtained from Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. When I took back up my condition then, it seems positively miraculous that any medicine could have worked such a prompt and effective cure.

"The first benefit I felt from Dr. Greene's medicine was a general toning up of the system. After the first bottle I was able to hold light, nutritious food on my stomach. The constant feeling of dull pain in the region of my stomach, grew daily less, and my blood seemed to circulate more rapidly. I was filled with a new life and hope.

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### You Can't Afford to Chance It.

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The result of the election in Allen county on Tuesday should put an end to the miserable campaign of personal abuse and vilification, which, inaugurated by the Republican committee and press three years ago, has since disgraced the campaigns in this county.

The policy of the Republican executive committee, and its subservient tool, the Lima Gazette, was to assail the character of every Democrat who had ever held office. None escaped. The ex-officers who had for years been relieved of the duties and emoluments of their former positions were made targets for the malignant shafts of vicious editors and outside contributors working for the success of the Republican ticket. Under the thin disguise of a demand for an improved public service, a flagrant attempt was made to tear down the character of honest men because they were Democrats. All members of the Democratic party were accused of being dishonest in belief, in motive and in act; they were accused of gross incompetency, and were maligned without reason and without limit. The elements of decency and of ordinary political sagacity were entirely lacking in the calculations of the Republican managers and editors in conducting the campaign. While in one column of their newspapers, or at one point of a political harangue, they would accuse all Democrats of every crime in the catalogue, in another column or at another stage of the same harangue, they would smile upon the Democrats and ask them to vote the Republican ticket to help elect into a stevedore a representative of the people who were so bitter in their denunciation of Democrats, their officials and their principles.

The inconsistency of the course of the Republican managers made their vicious, vituperative course laughable at its inception, for the people were quick to see the intent of it—simply a policy to get possession of the public offices with their emoluments and patronage, without a real care for, or indeed any expectation of a better public service—but when the slander was continued from week to week in the Republican paper people became disgusted with it, and members of the Republican party voted against that ticket to rebuke the

ghoulish work of their own party managers and press.

There is such a thing as decency in a political campaign, which may be conducted without attempting to blacken the character of every official belonging to the opposite party. Possibly the Republican managers will profit by the lesson last Tuesday and when another campaign comes along will not commence a vile campaign of slander.

#### Gillette's Idea.

Mr. King C. Gillette has an idea. It is a tremendous one. He is going to make us all rich and happy. Not to sayrazy. By the improved system of finance, manufacture and commerce which he has thought out, he calculates that 10 per cent of the population, working steadily, can support all the rest in what is almost idleness. But he would not condemn 10 per cent of us to work all the time while the rest enjoyed themselves. No! We must all take our turns at labor. From 20 years old to 25 each individual must work, not so hard, however, as nearly all the rest of us work all the time now. When one detail of the population has served its time of five years, it passes off the scene to rest the remainder of its life, and the next installment comes on.

The houses of Mr. Gillette's creation will be 25 stories high. They will be built around an enormous central dome. Mr. Gillette's plans calculate for the housing of 60,000,000 people in these huge tenements. But they will not be tenements. They will be handsomer and more sanitary than the finest apartments in city flat buildings now. They will be a dream of beauty. What is more, Mr. Gillette has fixed it so that nobody can look into his neighbor's windows, which is a remarkable achievement indeed. The central dome will be so tremendous and the shape of the towers of apartments such that there will be plenty of light and air, with no shaft of humbug. The lower apartments will be just as light as the upper ones.

This stupendous plan contemplates nothing less than the abolition of underground sewers, water mains and gas pipes. They will all be put upon the surface of the ground, and the streets will be three stories high. The first story would contain the pipes in question. Overhead, 25 feet above, would be a ceiling. It and the sides of the above ground tunnel would be of snow white riling. The second floor of the street, so to speak, would be devoted to electrical railways and the various means of transportation. If you want to go shopping, you go down to the second floor of the street and have yourself whirled to the great distributing centers of trade. There will be no horses at all in this dream city. The third floor of the street would be given over to promenade. Perhaps bicyclers might be permitted there. In tubs as large as the underground beer tanks of this degenerate day trees would grow and shade all the promenade.

#### One Rich American.

Rich young fellows who want to do something in the world cannot do better than to imitate the example of Hon. Theodore Roosevelt, president of the New York city board of police commissioners, who enjoys the distinction of being the first man that has ever been able to close the drinking saloons of the metropolis on Sunday. When Mr. Roosevelt resigned from the civil service commission to accept his present place many thought it was rather a come down. The result has proved it was not. It has also proved that a brainy man with a conscience and a serious purpose in life is about the best man a city can appoint to high office. The saloon closing law Mr. Roosevelt undertook to see executed was none of his making. He did not approve of all its provisions, but he was there to see it obeyed, and he did see it obeyed. So favorably did he impress even liquor dealers themselves that the chairman of the excise committee of the Wine and Spirit Dealers' association said of him:

"Personal contact with Mr. Roosevelt has taught me to respect and esteem him as an honest, conscientious and straightforward man, an excellent gentleman who indulges no favoritism and is not influenced in the performance of the duties of his office by any man, be he large or small, have he pull or no pull. Consequently you can place absolute dependence upon his statements."

Mr. Roosevelt was a young man of independent wealth. Not having to work for his living, he turned his attention early to the study of social, political and economic questions. In movements for bettering the condition of mankind he has always taken a warm interest. Besides that he is a scholar, a ranchman and a sportsman and a thoroughly human all round man.

Brightening Gold Prospect. It seems altogether likely that the gold and silver war will settle itself. With rich gold finds from Alaska to West Australia, from Canada to South Africa, gold promises to become plentiful once more and to readjust the equilibrium between the white and yellow metals.

It is true it is to the interest of gold metallists to make the world's annual output look as large as possible. Even making allowance for this, however, and putting the estimates on most conservative grounds, it is safe to say

that the world's production is now more by 75 per cent than it was seven years ago. This year it will reach nearly or quite \$200,000,000. During the flush gold period of California in the fifties the average annual production of gold the world over was \$130,000,000. A yield of \$350,000,000 a year would make gold as abundant as it was then, since the world's population has not doubled since the plentiful days of Californian and Australian gold.

The exceeding richness of the gold mines of Africa will cause the United States to sink from the first gold producing nation to the third, unless we should be fortunate enough to get some rich new finds or some better way of working the old ones. Of the world's \$200,000,000 worth of gold this year, over \$40,000,000 will come from the Rand district in South Africa alone. This district covers an auriferous area containing some 54 square miles, not more than half of which has been developed yet. These are so far as known the richest mines on the globe. West Australia contributes as her share of the world's supply \$42,000,000. The Rand and West Australian gold mines furnish the largest single yields of any districts.

It is going to tax every bicycle in the state in 1896 for the road fund. There is so much fun in bicycle riding that every wheelman and wheelwoman will pay the tax cheerfully.

Arndt is the leading grocer of the North end. 18-21.

Coal—Hard, Soft And smithing coal, at Mayo's.

#### AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the annexation of a strip of land 250 feet in width, lying west of and contiguous to the corporation of the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio.

Be it ordained by the council of the city of Lima, O., as follows, viz: Section 1. That the annexation line to the city of Lima, Ohio, of the territory hereinafter described, be, and the same is hereby authorized, viz: Commencing on the corporation line at the point where the east line of south Metcalf street extended intersects with the center of west Elm street extended; thence west on the corporation line two hundred and fifty feet; thence south on a line parallel with the west line of the corporation to the center of Ottawa river; thence east along the center line of the Ottawa river to be corporation line; thence north along said west corporation line to the place of beginning. Section 2. That the city solicitor is authorized to execute the proceedings necessary to effect such annexation. Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect as it is in full force from and after the earliest period allowed by law. Passed this 4th day of November, A. D. 1895. JAMES HARVEY, President of Council. C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.

# RETIRING FROM BUSINESS!

Mr. A. Goldstein, proprietor of The Mammoth, has consummated a sale of the entire stock of Warner Bros. & Co., Buffalo, N. Y., Fine Tailor Made Clothing, who will retire from business on December 1st, and the stock was bought for less than two-thirds the cost to manufacture, so watch for the announcement of the greatest sale of Tailor-Made Clothes at less than cost to manufacture.

This Telegram below will explain all:

## THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

21,000 OFFICES IN AMERICA. —INCORPORATED.— CABLE SERVICE TO ALL THE WORLD.

This Company TRANSMITS and DELIVERS messages only on conditions limiting its liability, which have been assented to by the sender of the following message. Errors can be guarded against only by repeating a message back to the sending station for comparison, and the company will not hold itself liable for errors or delays in transmission or delivery of Unrepeated Messages, beyond the amount of loss paid thereon, nor in any case where the case is not presented in writing within sixty days after the message is filed with the company for transmission. This is an UNREPEATED MESSAGE and is delivered by request of the sender, under the conditions named above. THOS. T. ECKERT, President and General Manager.

RECEIVED AT Lima, O.,

Nov. 6, 1895.

17 h b 33 paid.

Jamestown, N. Y.

J. Goldstein, care Mammoth.

Just consummated deal with Warner Bros. & Co., Buffalo, for balance of their stock. Think this the best lot of goods we ever closed out. Goods will be shipped to-morrow, will write particulars. A. Goldstein.

Keep your eye on our ads and watch for the date of the announcement of the arrival of goods.

# THE MAMMOTH.

TIRELESS WORKERS FOR TRADE.

#### AN ORDINANCE

To construct a sewer on west North street from the northern terminus of the Timberlake sewer, east six hundred (600) feet.

Be it ordained by the council of the city of Lima, Ohio, that a sewer shall be constructed on west North street from the northern terminus of the Timberlake sewer on the south line of west North street east on west North street six hundred (600) feet; the same to be constructed in accordance with the plans and specifications on file in the office of the city civil engineer, and in accordance with any special ordinance that may apply thereto. This ordinance shall go into full force and effect from and after the earliest time allowed by law. Passed this 4th day of November, 1895. JAMES HARVEY, President of Council. C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.

#### SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 6518. Doc. 7. James Pillars, Plaintiff, vs. Stewart Pillars, Defendant. Probate Court. By virtue of a writ of sale, issued from the Probate Court, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House, in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16th, A. D. 1895 Between the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock p. m., the following described lands and premises, situate on west Market street in the city of Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit: Tract number Twelve hundred and twenty-six (1226) in John Pillars' subdivision in the city of Lima, in Allen county, Ohio, save and except fifty (50) feet of the east side thereof; said number being according to the new numbering of said lots in said city of Lima, Ohio. Appraised at \$500.00. Terms of sale—Cash. AARON FISHER, Sheriff, Allen county, Ohio. Lima, Ohio, October 11th, 1895. Butler & Mackintosh, Plaintiff's attorneys.

#### SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 6485. Stone J. Moscoe, Plaintiff, vs. Joseph Askins, Defendant. Probate Court. By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Probate Court of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7th, A. D. 1895, Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands, and tenements, situate in the City of Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit: Tracts numbered 4, 159, 4, 162, 4, 165, 4, 172, 4, 175, 4, 178, 4, 183, 4, 184, 4, 187, 4, 190, 4, 201, 4, 202, 4, 207, 4, 208, 4, 211, 4, 212, and 4, 218 in Joseph Askins' addition to the city of Lima, Ohio. Appraised at \$200.00. Terms of sale—Cash. AARON FISHER, Sheriff, Allen county, Ohio. Lima, Ohio, November 4th, 1895. Moore and Watts, Plaintiff's attorneys.

#### Administrator's Sale.

One piano, one gold watch and chain and a lot of household goods and furniture all in good repair, will be offered for sale at public sale to the highest bidder. MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18th, 1895. At 1 o'clock p. m., at the late residence of Jane Blake, deceased, on Tanner street, between High and North streets, Lima, O. J. C. THOMPSON, Administrator.

## SCHOOL SHOES.

# LITTLE GIANT SCHOOL SHOES.

Do you know how they wear? They wear like iron.

Do you know how they look? They look stylish and neat.

Do you know what they cost? Well, Waugh sells them, and that is a guarantee that they are as cheap as an A 1 Shoe can be put on the market.

J. M. WAUGH.

## THE Commercial Investment Bank.

SAMUEL A BAXTER & SONS,

Nos 206 and 208 West High Street, LIMA, OHIO.

Government, State, County, Municipal and School Bonds, Real Estate Mortgages, Commercial Paper, Bank and Industrial Stocks bought and sold. We buy only that which has merit and sell only that which is guaranteed.

"WHERE DIRT GATHERS, WASTE RULES." GREAT SAVING RESULTS FROM THE USE OF

# SAPOLIO

## EVERY WOMAN

Sometimes there is a reliable, monthly, regulating medicine. Only harmless and the purest drugs should be used. If you want the best, get Dr. Peal's Pennyroyal Pills. They are prompt, safe and certain in result. The genuine (Dr. Peal's) never disappoint. Sent anywhere, \$1.00. Address: PEAL MEDICINE CO., Cleveland, O.

For sale by Melville Bros.



# THEATRE GOERS



...those who are fond of... are cordially invited to at-... the awful play, "Murdering of... in Shoes," given under the... of N. L. Michael, at his... next week. Play starts Friday... sharp.

## THE CAST

CONSISTS OF  
fine \$4.50 kid shoes in all new...  
fine \$3.50 hand turned shoes in...  
fine \$3.00 shoes in cloth tops...  
fine \$2.50 shoes, lace or button...  
fine Enamel shoes, the proper...  
fine calf skin, handsewn shoes...  
fine stout working shoes, lace or...  
fine...

## Synopsis of Play:

ush, Great Business, Honest... everybody convinced of the... that the best shoes can be... at our store for the least... N. L. Michael.

## Opera House

BLOCK.  
NOT OPERA HOUSE.

DAY, NOV. 11, '95.

## ANDREWS

Company in Fred Marsden's  
Brilliant Comedy.

## Wife's Friend

...than "Charley's  
Aunt!"

Seeds of Box Office...

DAY, NOV. 8, '95.

Latest Comedy Sensation

## ISTS OF A GREAT CITY.

A Gush of Unrivalled Smoothness  
and, Delicately by the Accom-  
plished Comedian,

MR. DANIEL A

## ELLY,

Capable Actors and Actresses.

The Great Brooklyn Bridge Scene!  
A Steamship on Fire at the Docks!  
The Exciting Railroad Episode!

Seats at box office.

## WANTED.

A girl to do housework Apply  
to the office.

Modern six room house, with  
all modern conveniences. One  
of Main st., near the square.  
K. D. Kania, Harper block.

WANTED about 15 years old in a  
family. No washing. Inquire at  
Kiel street. Mrs. M. Cohn. 12

A good girl for general house-  
work. Inquire at 116 East Vine street.  
Trustworthy person to travel  
and expense. Reference  
addressed stamped envelope.  
President, Chicago. 14 05

## HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY.

Money to be Raised to Establish  
One.

Frank G. Carpenter to Give Lectures-  
Regular Meeting of the B. of E.-An  
Effort to Get Parents More Interested  
in the Schools.

The Board of Education met in  
regular session in the new headquar-  
ters last night, with President Jones  
in the chair and all members present  
except Mr. Townsend.

The secretary read several bills,  
which were allowed.

Upon motion Mr. Galerneau was  
authorized to construct storm doors  
at the sixth Pine street building.

The report of the truancy officer  
was received and filed. He reported  
that the tobacco habit among school  
children was about broken up, and  
likewise were cases of habitual tru-  
ancy.

Upon motion the supply committee  
was authorized to purchase two  
drums and as many fifes, to be used  
at the east and west buildings for  
martial music.

Supt. Miller stated that a great  
improvement was needed in the  
High school library, and after some  
discussion upon different propositions  
he suggested that a course of three  
lectures be given this winter, with a  
popular price of admission, and the  
proceeds used for the library.

A motion to authorize Prof. Miller  
to secure Frank G. Carpenter the  
well known newspaper correspondent,  
to deliver a course three illustrated  
lectures upon his travels in Corea,  
China and Japan, was carried.

Upon motion the secretary, Mrs.  
Vicary, was instructed to have \$300  
insurance placed upon the furniture  
at the new headquarters.

There was considerable discussion  
about the continued increase in  
scholarship in the public schools, but  
no action taken preparatory to en-  
larging the old or constructing new  
buildings.

The following is the contents of a  
circular letter, a copy of which will  
be issued to the parents of the High  
school scholars:

As you are patrons of the Lima  
High School, we beg leave to call  
your attention to a few points in or-  
der that you may be able to co-op-  
erate with us more fully, and thus se-  
cure better advantages for your son  
or daughter.

1st. A record of your child's work,  
the monthly report, is sent to you at  
the beginning of every school month.  
Please examine it carefully, noting the  
scholarship, attendance and tardy-  
ness, sign it yourself, and return it  
as soon as possible.

2nd. Pupils must be in the school  
room at half past eight every morn-  
ing. When they are unavoidably  
tardy or absent, please send a written  
excuse, stating the reasons for such  
unavoidable absence or tardiness.

3rd. The course of study can be  
so arranged as to prepare pupils for  
college, and a pupil holding a diploma  
from the Lima High School can enter  
the regular course of our best col-  
leges without an examination.  
Therefore if you intend to send your  
child to college, which we hope you  
will do, let us know, so that we may  
arrange his studies with that end in  
view.

4th. If your son or daughter does  
not find it necessary to study at home,  
it is quite certain that he does his  
work superfluently at school. The  
time at the disposal of pupils in  
school is too short to prepare all les-  
sons thoroughly.

5th. If at any time it becomes  
necessary that your child be excus-  
ed before the regular hour for dismis-  
sion, please send a written request to  
that effect.

6th. We desire to have you visit  
us often. If you think anything is  
not as it should be, confer with us  
and we will try to remedy the matter  
if the fault lies with us.

Very truly yours,  
S. STEFFENS,  
Principal Lima High School.  
C. C. MILLER,  
Supt. of Schools.

## Free to Everybody.

The liberal free gift enterprise of  
the Lima Tea Co. should have the  
attention of every lady in the city,  
their valuable premiums being se-  
lected with the view of giving their  
customers something useful and orna-  
mental. Remember tickets are  
given with Soap Starch, Rice and  
Rolled Oats as well as with Teas,  
Spices, Baking Powder and Extracts,  
making it possible for any one to soon  
get tickets enough for any premium  
you may wish.

## Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our heartfelt  
thanks to our friends and neighbors  
for the kindness shown during the  
sickness and death of our beloved  
daughter and sister, Alice; also to  
her shopmates and friends for the  
beautiful floral offerings.

MR. AND MRS. THOS. DOWNNEY  
AND FAMILY.

Dr. Doty at Burnet House, Nov. 8-9.

The noted specialist, Dr. Doty, of  
Columbus, Ohio, cures Rheumatism,  
Osteoarthritis, Headache, Constipation,  
Nervousness, Palpitation of Heart,  
Liver, Kidney or Stomach trouble,  
and Female Weakness. At Burnet  
House, Lima, Nov. 8-9 See him.

## New Lamps and Jardiniers

That are lovely, can be seen in  
our front window; are free to our  
customers. These goods are new  
and beautiful and must be seen to be  
appreciated.

LIMA TEA CO.

## Anti-Saloon Sunday.

At the request of the Ohio Anti-  
Saloon League the Pastors' Union has  
arranged for anti-saloon meetings in  
the following churches to be ad-  
dressed by representatives of the  
Ohio Anti-Saloon League:  
Rev. White, Main Street Presby-  
terian 10 a. m., Trinity M. F. 7 p. m.  
Rev. Wheeler, U. B. 10 a. m.,  
Grace M. E. 7 p. m.  
Rev. Callender, English Reformed  
10 a. m., Disciple 7 p. m.  
Rev. Donawide, Epworth M. E. 10  
a. m., Spring Street Lutheran 7 p. m.

## LEE BEELER MARRIED.

A Charming Young Wapakonetta  
Lady Becomes his Bride.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm.  
Myers, of Wapakonetta, last evening  
at 8 o'clock occurred the wedding of  
their eldest daughter, Miss Gertrude,  
to Mr. Lee Beeler of this city, in the  
presence of their immediate relatives  
and friends.

To the beautiful strains of a wed-  
ding march the happy couple took  
their places before Rev. Hoyer, who  
proceeded to tie the nuptial knot.

Supper was then announced and  
after enjoying the delightful repast  
the bride and groom started for Lima  
to the home that was in readiness for  
them at No. 839 Bellefontaine ave-  
nue.

The bride was the recipient of  
many beautiful and useful presents,  
being one of Wapakonetta's most  
charming young ladies. The groom  
is employed at Sanford's Drug store.

We join many friends in wishing  
them many years of health, wealth  
and happiness.

Those present from this city were  
Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Beeler and Mrs.  
Vangunten, parents and sister of the  
groom; Mr. Vangunten, Master Verle  
and Nettie Berryman.

## AMONG THE RAILROADS.

### LOOKS LIKE BUSINESS.

About 4 o'clock this morning two  
L. E. & W. engineers arrived here  
from Sandusky, each in charge of a  
"live" engine. Both locomotives  
have pilots on each end and L. S. &  
M. S. was lettered on the tanks.  
They were the subject of considera-  
ble comment upon being run upon  
the store-house track at the shops  
and investigation proved that the en-  
gines were formerly L. S. & M. S.  
switch engines and had been sent  
here by the Lima Northern people  
for use in the construction of that  
road. The engines are old ones but  
they are good condition and very  
suitable for handling construction  
trains.

### NEWBERRY RESIGNS.

Night Yardmaster Newberry, of  
the C. H. & D., has tendered his  
resignation. He has several offers  
from other companies, but has not  
decided which he will accept. For  
the present he will enjoy a much  
needed rest. "Charley" is one of the  
ablest and most popular railroaders  
in Toledo, and his resignation will be  
heard of with regret by all of his  
subordinates on the C. H. & D. He  
has held several responsible positions  
on the Michigan Central, and was,  
for a number of years general yard-  
master of the C. H. & D. Conduc-  
tor Otis is acting night yardmaster  
at present.—Toledo Blade.

### NOTES.

E. B. Thomas, president of the  
Erie Lines, claims that the Erie was  
the first railroad in the United States  
to adopt the Pintsch system of light-  
ing passenger trains.

President Ingalls has set aside  
\$112,000 for the motive power depart-  
ment of the Big Four for this month,  
which means that the shops will be  
run through November nine hours  
per day.

Engine 39, of the L. E. & W.,  
which struck a cow and was ditched  
at Rawson day before yesterday, was  
placed onto the track again yester-  
day and brought to this city. The  
tank was considerably damaged, but  
the engine will not need much re-  
pairing.

Many of the roads in Indiana and  
Illinois are having much trouble with  
the boilers and engines. The streams  
are so low and the supply of water so  
poor that it creates lime and other  
deposits in the boilers and makes  
serious trouble. Some of the roads  
are badly crippled in power on this  
account.

Indications are that the Union  
Pacific will be reorganized before the  
Santa Fe, which, months earlier, be-  
gan the plan of reorganization. The  
reorganization of the Union Pacific  
includes 1,527 miles of main line and  
the total funded debt will be \$140,-  
425 \$62. The plan, it is stated by  
Boston papers, gives entire satisfac-  
tion.

Tickets now on Sale.  
For Mrs. John Brice's Shakesper-  
ean reading in the Board of Educa-  
tion rooms, Holmes Block, Friday af-  
ternoon. Secure them at Downard's  
or at the City Book store. 18 2c

With every 50 cent pur-  
chase Hoover Bros. give you  
a ticket on 50 prizes, valued  
at \$750.00

## Card of Thanks.

We desire to return our sincere  
thanks to our friends and neighbors  
for their kindness during the illness  
and death of our mother, Mrs. Mc-  
caske.

MR. AND MRS. A. D. DEVORE.

## COWARDLY ASSAULT.

Ed Baker Struck Because He Was  
Asked to Sign a Receipt.

This morning Ed Baker appeared  
before Mayor Smiley and signed an  
affidavit charging George Gee, with  
assault and battery and a warrant  
was issued for the latter's arrest.

The colored man has been working  
for Baker and about 3 o'clock yester-  
day he met the latter in the Oak and  
told Baker he wanted to quit. Baker  
gave him what was due him and  
then asked him to sign a receipt for  
the amount. Gee refused to give the  
receipt and started out. Baker fol-  
lowed him to the street and asked  
him to sign the receipt when he  
turned on Baker and hit him  
with his fist. He was about  
to continue the assault when  
John Kerr interfered as Baker was  
unable to protect himself, owing to  
an injured arm. Gee turned on Mr.  
Kerr and hit him in the face, when  
proprietor King interfered in his be-  
half. At this juncture pugilist Dan  
Bayliff stopped Gee, who turned on  
him, but when Dan squared himself  
Gee let up. The police were sum-  
moned, but Gee escaped.

## ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have  
Been, or Are Going.

B. C. Faurot is in Baltimore.

C. O. Burrows and wife are guests  
of friends in Celina.

Lou Cory returned to Cincinnati  
to-day after a visit at home.

John McNeft was called to Sidney  
last night by the serious illness of  
his sister.

Major Jno Woodcock and wife, of  
south Tanner street, have removed to  
Portland, Ind.

Mrs. P. Tracy and Mr. and Mrs.  
Robert Lawther visited friends in  
Gomer yesterday.

Senator Calvin S. Brice left for  
New York city in a special train over  
the L. E. & W., yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Wentworth  
and Mrs. J. H. Bogart, of Toledo,  
are in the city, stopping at the Lima  
House.

## HARROD HAPPENINGS.

Mrs. Sophie Chenot, of Belle Cen-  
ter, was in town this week on impor-  
tant business.

F. E. Leatherman went to Lake  
View to catch fish, shoot ducks, and  
very likely get a ducking. French is  
a sport for sure, and can kill powder  
and waste shot as well as anybody.

Mrs. Hammond went to the cellar,  
where she keeps her fruit, and dis-  
covered that a can of tomatoes had  
burst open. Taking the lid off of the  
can, she tasted the fruit to see what  
was the cause, and was immediately  
seized with cramps. Thinking the  
fruit was the cause of her sickness,  
she threw it into the poultry yard,  
and the entire flock of fifty fowls  
were poisoned, with the exception of  
two that did not partake.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bodell, who  
have been visiting relatives in Mich-  
igan for the past two weeks, have re-  
turned, and report having had a  
good time. They also left Mr. and  
Mrs. A. Valentine enjoying them-  
selves.

Mrs. Adam Smith, Sr., who has  
been very sick, is better.

Harrod can now boast of a new  
drug store, with J. J. Collins as pro-  
prietor.

Samuel Jacobs has been delivering  
fruit trees in and about Harrod this  
week.

Mrs. J. F. Leatherman is very ill  
with typhoid fever.

Mr. Armand Marriott, of Gutman,  
Ohio, is in town this week.

Kirby White was in town looking  
for a location. He wishes to move  
his board and washing here until  
next fall.

Mildred Danner, who has been on  
the sick list for two or three weeks  
past, is recovering very slowly.

Oliver Gilbert and wife have re-  
turned to their home near Ada, after  
a week's visit with her parents in  
this place. OLD ZIP.

There are two reasonable things  
which everybody should do—take  
good care of one's health; and if lost,  
regain it quickly, and to this every-  
body will agree. And there are a  
great multitude of people who are  
agreed that for both purposes Sim-  
mons Liver Regulator is the best  
help. "I am troubled with torpid  
liver and nothing gives relief so  
quick like Simmons Liver Regulator."  
—R. R. Strange, Lake City, Fla.

## OIL AND GAS.

The gas well on the Moorman farm  
is now 800 feet deep and the drillers  
expect to reach the sand by Friday.  
The well on the Book farm is 660  
feet down and will drill in the first  
of next week. Both of these wells  
are located in good territory and the  
outlook is hopeful for plenty of gas  
for fuel this winter.—Delphos Item

## The Shakesperean Reading

Of Mrs. John K. Brice in the Board  
of Education rooms in the Holmes  
block, Friday afternoon, will com-  
mence at 3:30 o'clock. Tickets, 50  
cents, are now on sale at Downard's  
and the City Book Store. 18-2c

## PURE LARROWE'S COUNTRY BUCKWHEAT IS PURE

No adulteration—no dirt—no foreign substances of any kind,  
just buckwheat. Larrowe's  
Country Buckwheat is grown in the country ground in the  
country, sent sealed from the country to you. The kind you  
need to get. Send a two cent stamp to Larrowe's, write to  
LARROWE MILLING CO., Limited, COHOCTON, N. Y.

## THE NEW WOMAN!



The Ideal, Tailor Made,

## 20th Century Shoes!

See them displayed in the windows of the

## COLUMBIA SHOE STORE.

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PRINCE, my sweetheart, will not agree,  
 But the luck of a rover's the thing for me!  
 She says I must stay, and I fear her frown;  
 Then I'll marry and settle down. —Lark

we climbed up to a room in the second story, about 8 by 15 feet square, and here were shown a large number of various articles formerly used by these old merchants. There were scales and weights, the latter being of two sorts — one for buying and one for selling — boxes, lanterns, candlesticks, snuff-boxes, washing bowls, drinking cups and tankards, machines for chopping cabbage and staves with bags for making collections in church. We were also shown humps that were fed with cod liver oil, not then used for medicinal purposes; decorations made of strips of dried codfish, and the arms of the league were half an eagle and half a cod, the latter surmounted by a crown which suggested the origin of the term "codfish monarchy."

## Two Lives Saved

**Bringing Him to the Point.**  
 He—Your father proposed to me  
 other day.  
 She—Yes, and what did you say?  
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"What sort of means?" asked Miss Hewitt curiously. "Why, now," I said, "you have sold very little all the day, haven't you?" Miss Hewitt bit her lips, and a disconsolate look came into her face. "While I've been here," I said,

"You sure you ought to?" she asked abruptly. "Miss Hewitt," said I, "you are much too scrupulous. That is the reason of your failure. And yet you could have sold me a cradle and rattles with perfect equanimity, knowing that I am a bachelor. The inconsistency of my sex is a puzzle," I remarked, shaking my head. "Oh, but I didn't think of that!" she said, with a blush. "I thought you wanted"— "Come, come," I said, "what would you do to rid of all your articles of commerce?" Miss Hewitt's eyes opened. "Oh, if I could only do that!" she exclaimed. "Well, how far would you be prepared to go for it?" said I insinuatingly. She paused. "I'd—I'd give up ball tonight," she exclaimed impulsively. I shook my head. "I have no sense of gauging the value of that recreation," I said thoughtfully, "but probably it is greater than the one I sell you which would enable you to sell your stall." "Oh, do you know a way?" she asked breathlessly. "Why, certainly," said I, still reflectively. "Mr. Randall, tell me," she pleaded, clasping her hands and putting her elbows on the stall. She looked earnestly at me.

4. I really had no notion until that time, but now I know that the

"I see what you were thinking  
"You thought I meant—I see now.  
"I thought that I was advising you to  
"Miss Hewitt got redder than  
" " Didn't think anything of the  
" she exclaimed hurriedly and  
"ing away at nothing, "and I wish  
"d get away if you're not going to  
"anything." "I should like another  
"please," said I.  
"Miss Hewitt was somewhat taken  
" and looked as if she would like to  
"k, but she only frowned and dumped

"I won't shut," I don't suppose," I said, "that it was much of a kiss." Miss Hewitt's nostrils curled in scorn. "Most people are always so particular," she said philosophically. Miss Hewitt's indignation broke forth. "Do you suppose," Mr. Randall said she sarcastically, "that one would allow any one to wish to do so?"—"Oh, I never said that," I interrupted hastily. "No; certainly not any one." She looked at me with undisguised hauteur. Ignored by the stall. "I should like to have heard of those things," I said. "I could not take them to a children's hospital, round here," Miss Hewitt's face relaxed slightly. "They would be very useful," she said. "It would be \$50, wouldn't it?" I asked, as if entering on a calculation.

"And take advantage like that," she said disapprovingly, "she couldn't help it, anything." "No," I assented, "I suppose she couldn't, and she must have done it all the time." "Of course she said Miss Hewitt, now inspecting me." "But she did it out of a sense of duty—to benefit her country," I concluded. "A man would never have been so selfish," said Miss Hewitt. "Nevertheless," I said emphatically, "but do you think that women are capable of such a sort of self sacrifice in these days?" I looked at her. "Of course," said Miss Hewitt, smiling. "I don't see why men should insist upon some people go by with great effect, just—if they only—only pretend to do so." "But if there was an accident," I ventured. Miss Hewitt apparently did not hear this. "Do you think," I persisted, "that a woman—would do a thing like that?" "She wouldn't—she couldn't—of course," she answered; but she did not let it pretend to be in—before any one else. "Not, for example, in a room like this!" I looked round the bazaar. "How," she said. "Afterward," murmured Miss Hewitt, bending down to pick up a pin, and promising. "Oh," I said, "she would promise them," said Miss Hewitt smiling. "I rose. "Well, I'm afraid I am really going," I said, holding my hand. "I think if we were realists," she would have to keep her case," said Miss Hewitt in a low

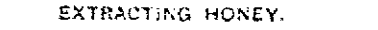
"I think you have given me a valtz tonight," I observed. "It's very generous usage." "I'm sure I'm quite generous enough," said Miss Hewitt. "Well, at any rate, let us sit down for the second," I suggested. Miss Hewitt looked at me in surprise. "I don't think you liked dancing," she said. "Oh, sometimes!" I said. "Then we might have a talk in the conservatory. It's sure to be very hot."

"Oh, we'll see!" said she nonchalantly. I turned to go. "By the way," said I, leaning on the stall cordially, "shall I leave you the £50?" And then you can send the things to hospital at once, you know." The Jewit avoided my eye. "I didn't" she began and broke off. "Perhaps" would be better," she murmured, and my hand. "Tonight, then," I said. She did look at me at last, but I was quite by accident—just the sort of accident that happened in the conservatory. —H. B. Marriott-Watson in Black and White.

Mr. Spurgeon as a Smoker.

Rev. W. Williams, in his "Reminiscences of C. H. Spurgeon," tells an anecdote concerning the preacher as a smoker. Some gentlemen wrote to Mr. Spurgeon, saying they had heard he smoked and could not believe it true. Would Mr. Spurgeon tell them if it really was so? Mr. Spurgeon's reply was as follows: "Dear gentlemen, I will not try to cultivate my flowers and burn my candles. Yours truly, C. H. Spurgeon."

—Westminster Gazette



Were it not that a much better article can be produced by leaving the honey in the hives until the end of the season, or until all is thoroughly sealed or capped, I should be greatly in favor of extracting every third to fifth day during the season; but if we would have the best honey which can be produced, it becomes a necessity that we should extract the honey. When I received my extractor, it came in midwinter. I carried to the shop, took down some pounds of honey I had stored away, uncapped them and tried the machine. As much as I expected, the thing was a bore. Upon going to bed that night I thought, of course, I could not succeed in throwing out frozen honey, for the extractor was made for use in the summer.

**Feeding Value of Oats.**

According to C. S. Plumb of the Institution, "100 pounds of ours decidedly more flesh or muscle feeding food than 100 pounds of corn." This fact in mind, and in view of present low prices for oats, he believes that feeders will do well to feed rather than sell them and buy bran. Other grain is superior, if equal, to oats as a food for working horses. Growing cattle or sheep or milk cows most desirable and should be much more generally fed than it is. Instead of corn as the only grain, a de-mo-nstration would be a mixture of two parts ground corn and one part oats. While oats are less referred to than common grains in recommending rations it is not because of in-value, but rather from the cost of its food. At the present time, how-ever the low price will warrant its extensive use."

**Wholesale Potato Growing.** The Rural New Yorker has often told readers about the great potato farms of Greeley, Colo. The annual crop from the place requires 7,000 cars for transportation. There are natural reasons why wholesale potato growing has become a business at Greeley. The soil is admirably suited to both potatoes and alfalfa. The alfalfa is good manure for the potatoes, and though very troublesome because the potatoes can not all be irrigated, and thus a cut supply of water is provided, these western farmers are wise and wind pumps to raise the water required for their potatoes, thus getting a striking object lesson of the possibilities of farming on level land, and a supply of water within reach of it. There is suitable land with water at it in every state.

**Varieties of Celery.**  
Celery, to be good, has to be perfectly blanched, and the blanching process is accomplished generally by heaping earth around the stalks. For this reason, according to McLean's Monthly, the blunkest varieties of celery are the most valuable. The tall varieties are disadvantageous, as requiring less labor in blanching. It is chiefly for this reason that the thick dwarf kinds are in favor with American gardeners, as requiring less labor to produce. Some of these, however, are not nearly as toothsome as the taller varieties, and the efforts of

**A Four Course Rotation.**  
A rotation suggested by Prairie consists of corn, oats, wheat and one year each in the order. It is, however, open to the objection that the proportion of grass (being here considered as grass) is as great as it would be, and the of forage is not so good as where grasses are sown.

that portion of the Sierra Nevada along the northern coast range that, for the reason stated, may be regarded as a perpetual timber reserve, covers a belt fully 400 miles long by 75 broad, an area equal to 30,000 square miles. This may be considered a domain dedicated to the use of the future. Both here and in the redwood forests, covering at the present time 2,500,000 acres, the first growth is being cut away, the young trees are being killed and grow up with such astonishing rapidity that, if properly protected, the timber supply can be renewed nearly up to its present mark, despite the heavy drafts made on it.

This tendency to reproduction  
 their tree equals the redwood, its  
 ity as manifested in this respect  
 sometimes astonishing. If only  
 will second its efforts in this di-  
 tion to the extent of guarding the  
 ing trees for a few years until  
 can get a fair start, they will  
 ward be able to take care of  
 selves, no ordinary fire sufficing  
 destroy them after this. As for  
 full grown trees, these are apt  
 suffer no material injury, except  
 use of a great conflagration, as  
 re a fire, having been started in  
 dry season, happens to be fanned  
 strong wind.—Wood and Iron.

father possessed an old leather bottle shaped like a cask, the purpose of which was to carry beer to laborers in the fields. We had all of these in wood, varying in size from a quart to a gallon, but none (a very old one) in leather. It is of course possible to drink beer from them, but the usual and fair way was to use "tots." There is a box, near here, a very curious old leather bottle, which was, I believe, during some recent restoration of the church and in the possession of the vicar. I have not seen it, but it has been described to me as something like a cask in shape, with two handles, large enough to contain from a quart to a gallon and a half of beer. It is believed to have been used for storing the wine for the communion, and I have been told, formerly, when wine was scarce, custom was to send the bottle and to be replenished whenever the supply was needed.—Notes and queries.

A Literary Celebration.

John Herschel tells an amusing anecdote illustrating the pleasure derived from a book not assumed to be the first order. In a certain town the blacksmith had got hold of a mediocre novel and used to sit on his anvil in the long summer evenings and read it aloud to a large attentive audience. It is by no means a short book, but those present listened to it all. At length, the happy turn of fortune which brings the hero and heroine together and sets them living and happily together, according to the most approved rules, the readers were so delighted as to break out in a great shout, and procuring the church keys actually rang the bell.

in the village church.

few Facts About The  
d how to make them well while  
they are sick.

New blood is made every minute. It goes to the lungs, gets fresh oxygen, and then passes through the liver, where it passes, it deposits new flesh, forms bones, etc., and takes up worn-out matter.

This worn-out matter goes to the kidneys. The kidneys filter it out of the blood and throw it out of the body.

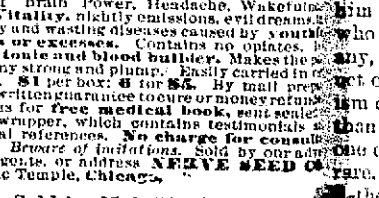
When your kidneys are well, they act as perfect filters, to keep your blood pure. When they are sick, they act imperfectly. They let bad matter in. Sometimes they let in the good. There is nothing more poisonous than bad blood. A proof of this is rheumatism, simply a blood-poisoning caused by bad matter left in the blood by sick kidneys. Bright's disease is the kidneys taking the other way—taking in food out of the blood. Both kinds of kidney sickness are dangerous. Both can be cured by Dr. H. C. Wood's Kidney Pills.

one of the most wonderful facts of the body is this natural filter installed by nature. Our kidneys are very important organs. We don't take enough care of them. We are sick often because it is any need for. It is slipping because we take no heed to our kidneys. Sick kidneys show their effects in many different diseases. Rheumatism and Bright's Disease are very common. Acacia, Neuritis, Pain in the Back, Dizziness, Head Troubles, Gravel, Diabetes, Sleeplessness, Nervousness. These are only a few symptoms, the so-called "diseases" Back of them are the sick kidneys.

all these symptoms will disappear. Dr. Hobb's Sparagus Kidney Pills must principally from the removal of the Asparagus plant, which has a curative action on the kidneys. It gives them new life and strength. It helps them to do their work as it ought to be done, and cures their sickness. It cleanses and filters the kidneys.

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## CORSET ANNOUNCEMENT!

We take pleasure in announcing to the ladies of Lima and vicinity that the Princess of Wales Co., manufacturers of Her Majesty's Corset, will have at our store for one week, Nov. 11th to 16th, Miss Sarah E. Conklin, one of their most expert fitters, for the purpose of explaining to the ladies the many merits of Her Majesty's Corset. We will have a fitting room prepared where Miss Conklin will try upon all ladies, who wish it, a pair of Her Majesty's Corsets, thus illustrating that they will give perfect satisfaction, and create a magnificent figure. We trust all the ladies will avail themselves of this opportunity to learn what a perfect fitting Corset really is. We desire it distinctly understood that ladies will not be expected to purchase a Corset, if they do not so desire, after a fitting is made.

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AGENTS FOR LIMA.

### The Lima Times-Democrat.

THE LIMA TIMES-DEMOCRAT PUBLISHED BY CARROLL & COONEY, 518 N. MAIN ST. TELEPHONE CALL, NO. 54.

#### TALES OF THE TOWN.

Y. M. C. A. here and bound preliminary this evening at 8:30 o'clock. Chief Haller returned this afternoon from Plain City, O., with Dwight Matchett who is wanted here.

Lima Chapter No. 49 R. & A. M. will meet this evening with three candidates to be initiated. Refreshments will be served.

Chas. Wilson, aged 20, was killed by a C. & D. freight train at Rudolph, on the Bowling Green branch, yesterday. He was climbing on freight cars.

The Y. W. C. T. U.'s will meet in Trinity M. E. church room No. 5 on Friday evening at 7 o'clock for their regular business. All the young ladies invited to attend. By order of secretary.

Mrs. Ed Townsend on Tuesday received word of the death of her little brother, Johnnie, which occurred at his home near Walla Walla, Wash., on Oct. 24th, aged eleven years, ten months and twenty-six days. He was the son of O. F. Furrow, who was formerly in the grocery business here with Henry Guss.

#### SENATORIAL VOTE.

Lawlor and Johnson Run Nearly Together in Allen County.

The official count of the vote for State Senator gives the following result: Lawlor 4286; Johnson 4307; Conley (Republican) 4106; Conley (Populist) 730; Brown 4054.

Lawlor's majority in Allen county over Conley, Republican, is 184, and over Conley, Populist, is 3560, but when the votes of Conley as both a Republican and a Populist, the same individual being on both tickets and representing the views and principles of both the Republican and Populist people, are added together, it makes 4836 votes. It is the combined Republican and Populist vote that gave Conley the apparent majority over the Democratic candidates for Senator.

#### WHAT DOES THIS MEAN?

Lake Shore Locomotives in Use on the Ohio Southern.

Last night two Lake Shore locomotives were received and will be used on the Ohio Southern and Lima Northern railroads.

There has been a great deal of speculation just as to what the building of the Lima Northern road and connecting it with the Ohio Southern meant, and the appearance of Lake Shore engines on the latter makes room for more conjecture. Can it be that the Lake Shore is interested in the scheme?

#### HUSSEY PARDONED.

The Ex-County Clerk of Shelby County is Free.

Governor McKinley last evening pardoned John C. Hussey, the ex-county clerk of Shelby county, serving one year for presenting false and fraudulent bills of fees while serving in his official capacity. Hussey was sent up last April, having been convicted in Anguila county after securing a change of venue from his own county. The pardon was recommended on the ground that the crime was largely the result of bad book-keeping rather than a willful intent of defrauding the county, as well as on the ground of the failing health of the prisoner.

Fresh fish and oysters daily at Arrdt's. 518 N. Main. 18-3t.

#### RUMBAUGH'S DEATH.

Five Persons Witnessed the Tragedy.

Miner, the Murderer, is Still at Large, but is Thought to be Hiding in Kenton.

The Kenton Republican contains the following in reference to the murder of Wm. Rumbaugh, at Alger, Monday night:

The latest information from the scene of the Rumbaugh tragedy at the Marsh proves that the murder of the latter was uncalculated, and if the Miner family attempt to prove that the deed was done in self-defense they will have a hard time doing it.

After Rumbaugh had received his death blow at the hands of Simon Miner, the mother and other son sprang upon his almost lifeless body and beat him with clubs and a hoe handle. There were five witnesses to the murder.

The Miner family bear a bad reputation among those who know them. Dr. Jones and Bain returned last night from the bloody scene and state that the post-mortem shows that death resulted from brain hemorrhage induced by the blow inflicted by Simon Miner.

Up to midnight last night Miner was still at large but it is believed he is still in hiding in the city and will be captured before twenty-four hours have elapsed.

#### SNOWED UNDER.

The Work House Bond Question in a More Hopeless Muddle than the Republican Ticket in Allen County.

Additional taxation is not desired in Allen county if the following abstract of votes cast on the work house proposition is any index of the public sentiment. The vote cast in the different precincts is as follows:

Amanda, 19 for; 219 against.  
Anguila, e. 45 for; 169 against.  
Anguila, w. 19 for; 75 against.  
Bath, 74 for; 192 against.  
German, Jackson, 45 for; 330 against.  
Marion, 7 for; 541 against.  
Delphos, 1st w., 6 for; 20 against.  
Delphos, 2d w., 42 for; 51 against.  
Monroe, 66 for; 320 against.  
Perry, 70 for; 252 against.  
Richland, B. Dam, 22 for; 160 against.  
Richland, Bluffton, 99 for; 366 against.  
Shawnee, 37 for; 117 against.  
Spencer, 86 for; 115 against.  
Sugar Creek, 53 for; 165 against.  
Total, 690 for; 3005 against.

#### NO NEW TOWNSHIP HOUSE.

In German township the people voted on a proposition to build a new township house. The measure was lost by a vote of 181 in favor of the measure to 170 against it.

#### Something New Every Day or So.

We have just received a lot of new toilet sets, gardeners, nut bowls and dinner sets, all of which are beauties. Our customers holding tickets should see these lovely premiums, which are of the latest designs. They are yours.

LIMA TEA CO.

#### Might Have Known It.

The case of the State against John Jones, charged with an attempt at highway robbery came up for a hearing in mayor's court last evening and resulted in the dismissal of the defendant who proved an alibi.

#### A Change.

Sunday will be anti saloon day in Lima. Mr. Harry B. White, of Toledo, will fill Trinity's pulpit in the evening, hence the pastor will not preach on "The Dance, the Theater and Cars."

#### I. O. O. F. Notice.

All Rebecca's of Lima are requested to bring their pound offering to the hall of Allen Lodge this evening for the benefit of a sick family.

By order of

COMMITTEE.

#### CONTINUES UPWARD.

Lima Oil was Advanced Again this Morning.

Eastern Oil Also Crawls Up—An Untruthful Report by an Unreliable Sheet.

Lima oil continues to have an upward tendency.

Following the five cent per barrel advance day before yesterday came another this morning and it begins to look as though there would be a still higher figure reached.

The suspension of operations in the field about 30 days ago, when the price reached such a point as to make operations too risky for the average oil man, is probably the cause and if the present price holds up, there will be another boom in the field.

The Buckeye advanced North Lima oil to 75 cents, South Lima to 73 cents and Indiana to 66 cents. Eastern oil was also advanced to the following prices:

Tiona, \$1.50; Pennsylvania, \$1.33; Barnesville, \$1.23; Corning, \$1.18 and Newcastle, \$1.08.

The Republican Gazette, with its usual degree of unreliability, made the following announcement this morning:

"At Findlay there was a sudden drop of 5 cents in Ohio oil by the Buckeye Pipe Line company."

Not only is there no truth in the statement; neither is the price of Lima oil regulated at Findlay.

#### LIVE WIRE.

Dangerous Cross at Main and North Streets Last Evening.

Last evening a broken telephone wire fell over the street car trolley wires at Main and North streets and caused a dangerous combination. Some persons who noticed the fire flying where the wires became crossed, warned teamsters and pedestrians until some one removed the cross.

#### DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR.

Was the Party Given by Miss Colvin Last Evening.

Miss Frances Colvin entertained at her home on south Main street last night in a delightful manner. There were more than fifty guests present, and the affair was one of the society events of the season. Music and dancing were enjoyed, as was also an elaborate menu of refreshments.

#### Trinity.

The grand Methodist social will be at the parsonage on Friday evening. Everyone invited, especially the strangers in the city.

#### STREET TALK.

Judge Rick's, of the United States court at Toledo, has allowed a writ of error in the case of Frank H. Craig vs. the L. E. & W. Railroad company, and the case will be taken to the United States Circuit Court of appeals.

Tom Mulcahy and "Bull" Kruttsch, P. F. local men, bet on the election and now all the agents along the line between Lima and Ft. Wayne are booked for a turkey dinner with Mulcahy. Tom is thinking of starting a poultry yard for his supply of turkeys.—Delphos Herald.

It begins to look now as though the Bayliff-Kenny fight would come off after all. The Kenton Athletic club has succeeded in getting Kenny to agree to terms and Bayliff has been communicated with by telegraph and has given his consent. It

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

## Royal Baking Powder

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is probable that articles will be signed within the next day or so

#### Lodge Meeting.

The Lodge of Egls will meet in the Wheeler block at 7:30 to-night. Important business requires the attention of every member.

JOSEPH WHITE, Sec'y.

With every 50 cent purchase Hoover Bros. give you a ticket on 50 prizes, valued at \$750.00.

## ELECTION RETURNS

Brought good news to some, disappointment to others. The only people who are never disappointed are the customers in our store. They get the best returns for their money; in fact better values than they could reasonably expect. Here are some of the bargains we now offer:

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#### THIS IS NOT

Merely Cloak talk, it is Cloak facts.



Every week for the past month has seen fresh arrivals of latest Cloak creations!

And every Saturday night a depleted stock. The demand in our Cloak parlors continues unabated, and the stream of arrivals is larger than ever. The evidence is here for you. Cloak rooms always crowded.



COMPARISON Shows the prices to be much lower than elsewhere.

#### INSPECTION

Proves the largest assortment of Cloaks and Furs in Lima. Unsurpassed in quality and style.

### There are Two Kinds of Cloaks. The Old and the New.

Some people see last season's styles, dug from the camphorated graves of a year ago, at the correct prices for stylish ones.

#### WE DON'T

It would be impossible for us, because we only have the new ones. Every garment new.



All This Season's Finest and Latest Styles.

All Kinds of Capes.

From \$2.25, that modest starting point, the prices rise to one hundred dollars.

### Capes

Seem to be the key-note for Ladies' Garment Wearing.

Test our stock by its Capes, and you will see we are in tune with your wishes.



### Now is the Time to Think About Cloaks.



YOU MAY WANT A NEW ONE.

### We Have the Cloak Parlors

Of Northwestern Ohio. The biggest part of Lima wear our Cloaks. The largest stock for your selection in the city.

#### FACTS!

Words are but bubbles set to type. Come and see the Cloaks. Sometimes, when in a meditative mood, we build castles in the air, like other fellows, but never have we reached a point which prompted a misstatement. ("But then") it's not what we say that makes this store a good place to buy Cloaks and Furs; it is what the people find here.

## THE METELLUS THOMSON DRY GOODS CO.

Stores 233 and 235 North Main Street, Lima, O.